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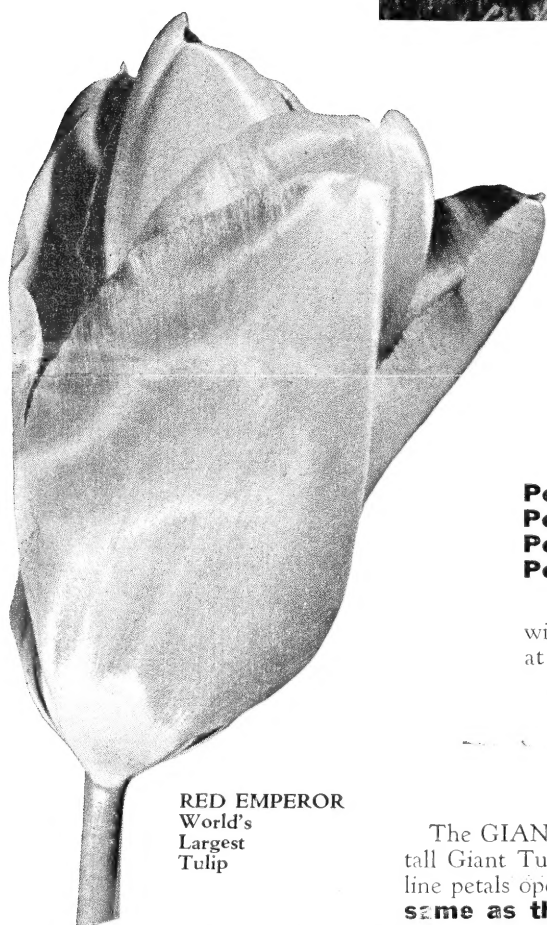
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Tulip Bulbs Direct from Holland to YOU!



RED EMPEROR
World's
Largest
Tulip

We have arranged with the oldest and largest grower of Darwin Tulips in Holland to supply us this fall with these genuine top-size Darwins in the following colors: Yellow, White, Red, Black, Rose, Blue. They are rated by growers as the most outstanding varieties in all Holland and selection has been made from hundreds of choice varieties.

REMEMBER THIS FACT: Every season the market is flooded with so-called choice Tulips at bargain prices, small bulblets that are graded out from choice large bulbs that can be sold cheap and on price appeal. You cannot expect good flowers from small spindly bulbs . . . **our bulbs** are first quality and top-size . . . you will receive the **cream of the crop**, the very highest grade bulbs. You will have bigger flowers and they will give you the most for your money.

Superior Quality Darwin Tulips

PRICES

Per 25 assorted	\$ 3.50	Postpaid \$ 3.75
Per 50 assorted	6.50	6.90
Per 100 assorted	12.00	12.50
Per 200 assorted	23.50	23.75

NOTE: Be sure to include Sales Tax if you are a resident of North Dakota.

Colors: Yellow, White, Red, Black, Rose, Blue. (You can order any color combination you wish—solid colors same as assorted.) Order your Tulip supply at once and shipment will be made at the proper planting time. Complete planting instructions will be included with your order.

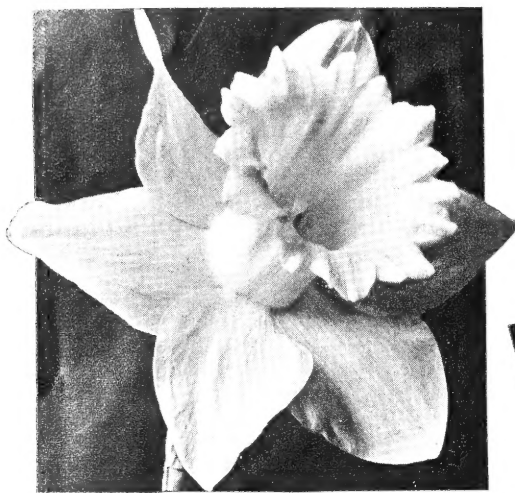
INCLUDE FULL REMITTANCE WITH YOUR ORDER.

RED EMPEROR TULIP

The GIANT RED EMPEROR Tulip is the World's largest Tulip. Blooms early in the spring, most brilliant tall Giant Tulip. Spectacular, intense scarlet—doubly welcome when red flowers are scarce. Immense streamline petals open to 9 inches across on 18-inch stems. Be sure to plant this great Tulip. **Prices: Special—same as the Darwin Tulips listed above.**

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DAFFODILS

The Daffodil pictured above is a very choice yellow variety and perfectly hardy for this northern country. They are so easy to grow. Sturdy, gay and colorful. Plant them along the house foundation or among the shrubs or flower borders. They seem to grow most any place. Separate and replant about every 3 years. These are genuine imported top-size bulbs. **Postpaid prices: 10 for \$3.50, plus sales tax.**

PEONIES

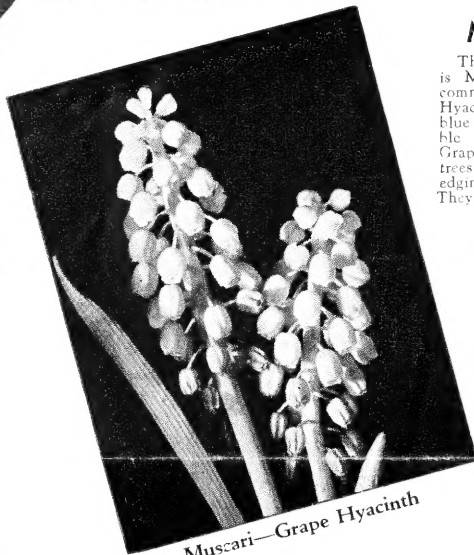
The picture below illustrates the most choice PEONIES in Pink at the top, White in the center and Red at the bottom. They have won perhaps more first prizes at Peony Shows than any other varieties known. Peonies transplant best in the fall. Order them promptly on receipt of this folder and shipment will be made at the best planting time. Plant this fall and they will bloom next spring. State colors wanted. **Prices, not prepaid, as follows: Each \$1.25; 3 for \$3.60; 6 for \$6.00, plus tax.**



Peonies

SCILLA

At the right you will see pictured the beautiful SCILLA. Blooms early in the spring. Rich dark blue flowers. Ideal for borders, rockeries, etc. **Prices, postpaid: 50 for \$2.75; 100 for \$5.00, plus tax.**



Muscari—Grape Hyacinth

MUSCARI

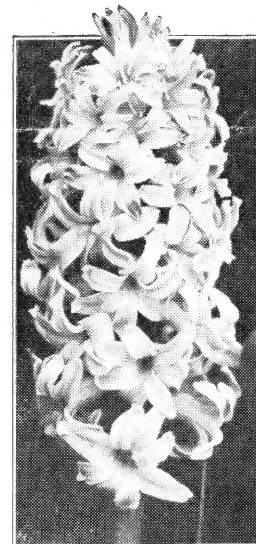
The picture at the left is MUSCARI and its common name is Grape Hyacinth. A very lovely blue flower. They resemble small clusters of Grapes. Plant around trees, shrub borders for edging, etc. Very hardy. They come up year after year. **Prices, postpaid: 50 for \$1.75; 100 for \$3.00, plus sales tax.**



Scilla

HYACINTHS

The HYACINTH pictured at the right is one of the most popular flowers of all and perhaps the most fragrant. Colors: Blue, Red, Yellow, White. These imported top-size bulbs will produce flowers fit for the kings and queens. **Prices, postpaid: 10 for \$3.50, plus tax.** Any color combination.



Hyacinths

FUNKIA

The picture at the left is a Plantain Lily, FUNKIA. Here is a marvelous perennial. Grows well in the shade, large dark green leaf, looks like a tropical plant. Grows 12-18 inches high. Lavender flowers. Very hardy and excellent for a border plant. **6 for \$3.20, plus tax.**



Funkia

BLEEDING HEART

The old-fashioned Bleeding Heart is a favorite in every garden. Pink flowers; blooms in May and June. **Each \$1.00; 3 for \$2.90, plus tax.**



Bleeding Heart

FERN LEAF PEONY

One of the rarest of Peony varieties. Has a fine fern-leaf foliage. Earliest to bloom. Immense dark red double blossoms. Plants very scarce. They are very beautiful. **Each \$5.00, plus tax.**

LILIES

Do not overlook the Lilies. They are the hardest, most fragrant flowers of all. They should be in every yard.



DAY LILY

A fine new hybrid. Immense flaring yellow blooms. Delightfully fragrant, heavy bloomer on strong stems. Ideal for cutting. **6 for \$3.20, plus tax.**

LILIUM REGALE

Grand large, white blooms, lightly tinged pink, with golden yellow center, sweetly fragrant. The finest of all Lilies. **No. 1, large bulbs, 3 for \$2.10, plus tax.**

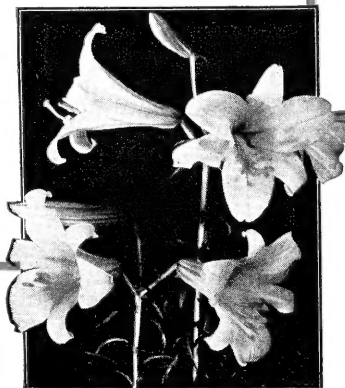
IRIS

One of the most dependable and hardy perennial flower. **Assorted colors in very choice varieties, 6 for \$2.10, plus tax.**



LILY-OF-THE-VALLEY

Fragrant, pure white, dainty bell-shaped flowers. Fine for shade. **Clumps, 6 for \$3.20, plus tax.**

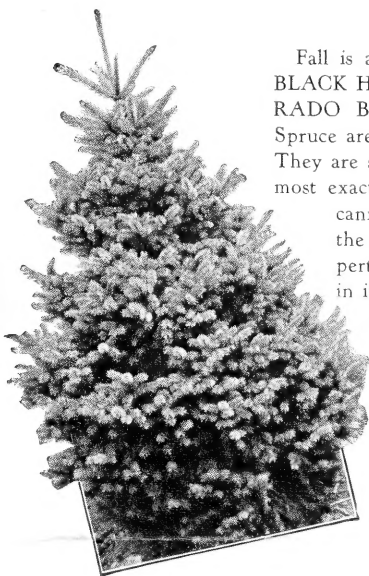


Lilium Regale

Fall 1953 Delivery

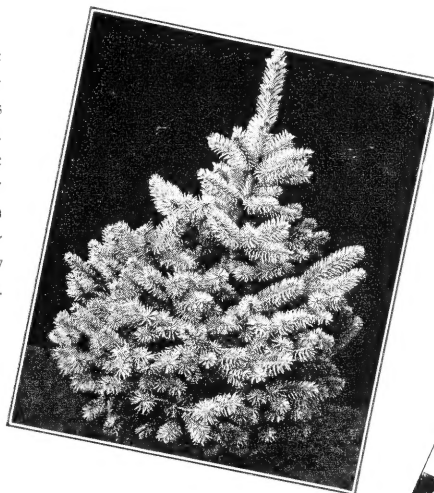
EVERGREENS

Fall is an ideal time to plant both the **BLACK HILLS SPRUCE** and the **COLORADO BLUE SPRUCE**. Christianson's Spruce are the finest that money can buy. They are select specimens adapted for the most exact landscape use and the quality cannot be surpassed elsewhere in the entire Northwest. Each tree expertly balled and continues to grow in its own soil without interruption.



BLACK HILLS SPRUCE

Hardest of all Spruce varieties. Thick, compact, highly ornamental as a specimen or in cluster plantings. Always rich, fresh green color and sometimes runs to a bluish tint. **Select specimens, 18-24 in., each \$5.40; 2 1/2-3 ft., each \$9.50.**



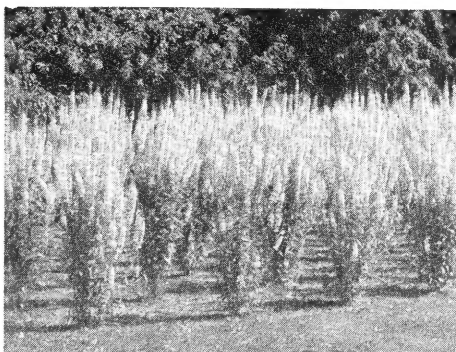
COLORADO BLUE SPRUCE

Few evergreens have obtained the popularity of the Blue Spruce and without question is the most wanted of all evergreens. All our trees are select specimens, properly root-pruned and a finished product for the customer to plant. **Prices: 18-24 in., each \$12.50; 2 1/2-3 ft., each \$17.50.** These are the best sizes to transplant.

MORDEN'S LYTHRUM

Here is a perennial that we want to recommend to each and every one of our friends and customers. Originated at the Morden Experiment Station, Morden, Manitoba, Canada. This hardy perennial grows to a height of 3 to 4 feet and bears numerous spikes covered with deep rose-pink florets. Blooms from late June to September. (Note: There are many varieties of Lythrum. Be sure you get this true variety.) Space your plants 18 inches apart. **Top size roots that will bloom the first year: 6 for \$3.00; 12 for \$5.75, plus tax.** This grows anywhere and we think it is sensational.

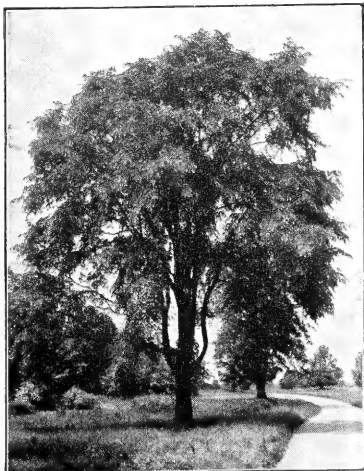
A dozen or more should be planted for best effects. They are beautiful. Be sure to order your plants now for FALL PLANTING.



Morden's Lythrum

AMERICAN ELM

North Dakota State Tree. Fall is a good time to plant American Elm. The perfect shade tree for all purposes. **Nice select trees, 6-8 ft., each \$4.00; 8-10 ft., each \$6.00; 10-12 ft. for boulevard, each \$10.00.**



American Elm

LAWN SEED - Finest Quality

The selection of your LAWN SEED will spell the difference between SUCCESS and FAILURE . . . our experience CAN SERVE YOU WELL . . . Why not use it? . . . Do not waste precious time and expensive planting poor seed sold at a cheap price. GOOD SEED must contain specific varieties of selected grass stocks of high germination and purity tests. Our mixture is the result of many years experience in the actual construction of lawns. Our seed contains a high percentage of Kentucky Blue Grass and other necessary nurse crop seeds to perform their particular function. It is easy to build a beautiful lawn when you plant good seed and follow the instructions HOW TO BUILD AND SEED A LAWN as printed on all of our packages and bags. Allow one pound to every 150 sq. ft. of new lawn area; for reseeding old lawns one pound to 300 sq. ft. is sufficient. Prices are given for seed packed and ready to ship. Express is advisable for medium quantities and freight for large quantities. **1 lb., \$1.65; 5 lbs., \$8.00; 10 lbs., \$15.50; 50 lbs., \$75.00; 100 lbs., \$145.00.**

(PLEASE NOTE.—The supply of northern grown Kentucky Blue Grass Seed is very acute. The carry-over of northern grown seed is about zero. To complicate the supply situation, the expected crop grown in northern areas and Canada for this season will be about 25% of normal of top-quality seed. Top-quality is the only grade we will supply and the above prices are submitted subject to change and availability.)

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NO OTHER FERTILIZER IN THE WORLD LIKE IT!

Contains all the known elements necessary to plant life!

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Model 500 For Applying Any Water Soluble Fertilizer

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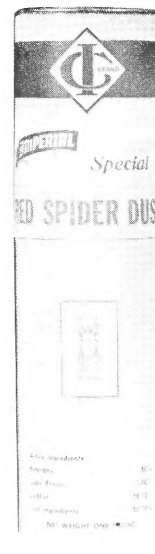


DUSTING SULPHUR

For Mildew, Black Spot on Roses and other plant diseases controlled by sulphur. This is a 1-lb. Dust Gun ready for use. Pump it and out comes the dust. **Prices, postpaid: \$1.05.**

RED SPIDER DUST

For Roses, Perennials, Ornamental Shrubs (Evergreens) and other plants. 1-lb. Dust Gun all ready for use. Pumping this duster efficiently distributes the dust where wanted. **Prices, postpaid: \$1.05.**



TERMS OF SALE GUARANTEE

Our prices are all F.O.B. Fargo, No. Dak., unless otherwise specified. Any tree or plant that dies the first growing season we will replace at a cost of one-half the regular catalog price, customer to make report along with remittance by September 1st, following date of purchase. **INCLUDE REMITTANCE** with your order. **SALES TAX:** North Dakota customers, please include 2% required in your remittance.

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Fargo, North Dakota

RESERVE Stock NOW!

WE ARE LISTING NURSERY STOCK VARIETIES ON THIS PAGE THAT ARE VERY SHORT IN SUPPLY.

For SPRING of 1954

TREES

	Size	Each
Crimson King Maple. Red leaf foliage	4-5 ft. whips	\$5.00
Crimson King Maple. Red leaf foliage	5-6 ft. whips	6.25
Maple, Soft. Green leaf foliage	8-10 ft.	6.00
Mountain Ash. Red berries	6-8 ft.	5.00
American Elm	6-8 ft.	4.00
American Elm	8-10 ft.	6.00
American Elm. Boulevard size	10-12 ft.	10.00
Hopa Flowering Crab	5-6 ft.	3.50
Weeping Willow	6-8 ft.	3.50
Lombardy Poplar. Low branched	6-8 ft.	2.50
Lombardy Poplar. Low branched	8-10 ft.	3.50
White Native Birch	6-8 ft.	6.00
Cut Leaf Weeping Birch. Low branched	6-8 ft.	6.50
Cut Leaf Weeping Birch. Low branched	8-9 ft.	7.50
Green Ash	8-10 ft.	6.00

HEDGES

Cotoneaster. (Space 18 inches apart.)	12-18 inches	\$0.35
Cotoneaster. (Space 18 inches apart.)	18-24 inches	.45
Spirea Van Houttei. (Space 18 inches apart.)	18-24 inches	.35
Honeysuckle. (Space 2½ ft. apart.)	18-24 inches	.45
Buckthorn. (Space 12 inches apart.)	2-3 ft.	.30

EVERGREENS

(All balled in earth.)

Select Trees

	Size	Each
Juniper, Andorra. Low creeping, very beautiful	18-24 in.	\$ 9.00
Juniper, Savin. Low growing, deep green lacy foliage	18-24 in.	9.00
Juniper, Pfitzer. Low growing, for foundation plantings	18-24 in.	10.00
Pyramidal Juniper. Upright for house corners, etc.	2½-3 ft.	12.50
Pyramidal Juniper. Upright for house corners, etc.	3½-4 ft.	17.50
Pyramidal Juniper. Upright for house corners, etc.	4½-5 ft.	22.50
Pyramidal Arbor-vitae. Upright for house corners, etc.	2½-3 ft.	12.50
Pyramidal Arbor-vitae. Upright for house corners, etc.	3½-4 ft.	17.50
American Arbor-vitae. Upright. Very hardy, dark green foliage	2½-3 ft.	12.50
Siberian Arbor-vitae. Round globe form, rich green foliage	18-24 in.	12.50
Siberian Arbor-vitae. Round globe form, rich green foliage	2-2½ ft.	15.00
Black Hills Spruce. Considered one of the best evergreens	18-24 in.	5.40
Black Hills Spruce	2½-3 ft.	9.50
Black Hills Spruce	3½-4 ft.	15.00
Colorado Green Spruce. (Same variety as Blue Colorado but green instead of blue)	2½-3 ft.	12.50
Colorado Green Spruce. (Same variety as Blue Colorado but Green instead of blue)	3½-4 ft.	17.50
Colorado Blue Spruce. Select blue shiners—blue sheen foliage	18-24 in.	12.50
Colorado Blue Spruce. Select blue shiners—blue sheen foliage	2½-3 ft.	17.50
Colorado Blue Spruce. Select blue shiners—blue sheen foliage	3½-4 ft.	25.00

NOTE.—For those who are interested in Spruce Evergreen Seedlings, both Black Hills and Colorado, please write for special quotations. We have some fine stock for windbreak and forestry plantings.

ORNAMENTAL SHRUBS

ALL FIRST GRADE SIZE

	Each	Per 2	Per 5
Honeysuckle. Red flowers	\$1.25	\$2.40	\$5.75
Snowberry. White berries	1.00	1.90	4.50
Cistena. Wine-colored foliage	2.50		
Spirea Van Houttei. White flowers	1.25	2.40	5.75
Spirea Frobeli. Low growing, pink flowers	1.25	2.40	5.75
Spirea sorbifolia. White flowers, fern-leaf foliage	1.25	2.40	5.75
Mock Orange, Virginalis. Double flowers, white.	1.75	3.30	7.50
Mock Orange, Minn. Snowflake. New double.	2.00	3.80	
Mock Orange, Coronarius. Old-fashioned, tall.	1.50	2.80	6.50
Mock Orange, Lemoine. Low growing single white	1.25	2.40	5.75
Highbush Cranberry. Red berries, white flowers.	2.00	3.80	
Tamarix. Pink flowers	2.00	3.80	
Snowball. Large white snowball flowers	2.50	4.80	
Prunus Triloba. Double pink flowers	2.50	4.80	
Lilac, Persian. Purple flowers	1.25	2.40	5.75
Hydrangea arborescens. White flowers	1.50	2.80	6.50
French Lilacs. Red, Blue, White colors	2.50	4.80	11.50
Cotoneaster. Green shiny foliage variety	1.25	2.40	5.75
Dwarf Ninebark. Thickly branched shrub	1.25	2.40	5.75
Currant, Alpine. Dwarf growing shrub	1.50	2.80	
Caragana pygmaea. Dwarf shrub, very scarce	1.25	2.40	5.75
Cornus. (Variegated.) Variegated foliage	2.00	3.80	
Barberry. (Red leaf.) Wine-colored foliage	1.25	2.40	5.75

ROSES

(Grade 2-year, No. 1)

Prices: Each \$1.50; 6 for \$8.00.

Color

Gruss An Teplitz. Blooms all summer long	Red, Double
Frau Karl Druschki. Very hardy	White, Double
Editor McFarland. Everblooming large flowers	Pink, Double
Pink Radiance. Everblooming—one of the best	Pink, Double
Mrs. E. P. Thom. Everblooming. A good yellow	Yellow, Double
Sutter's Gold. Everblooming. Another good yellow	Yellow, Double
McGredy's Yellow. Everblooming. A very fine yellow	Yellow, Double
Sister Therese. Everblooming and one of the better Roses	Yellow, Double
Blaze. Climbing Rose	Red, Double
Paul's Scarlet. Climbing Rose	Red, Double
Red Grootendorst. Everblooming Rugosa. Small clusters	Red, Double
Hansa. Rugosa Shrub type. Everblooming large red	Red, Double
Hugonis. Rugosa Large Shrub type, spring blooming	Yellow, Single

VINES

First Grade, No. 1 Size

	Each	Per 3
Clematis, Jackmani. Large purple flowers	\$1.75	\$5.10
Grape, Beta. Very hardy. For fences, trellis, etc.		2.25
Boston Ivy. Clings to brick, stone, stucco	1.25	3.50
Honeysuckle. Trumpet-shaped flowers for trellis	1.25	3.50
Baltica Ivy. Excellent ground cover. Good in shade; similar to English Ivy. Very hardy, low-growing.	Per 10, \$5.00	

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NOTE.—Order now before November 1st, 1953. Include one-fourth purchase price and we will reserve your selections for spring, 1954, delivery. Balance payable on delivery. (All quotations are for immediate acceptance subject to stock being unsold.)